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Among the pieces which made up the quaint output of Captain Derby, whose too early death deprived America of one of the most original humorists, was one entitled "A New System of English Grammar." It seems never to have attracted much attention, but, though there are in the volume containing it articles more broadly amusing, there are none in which wit and wisdom are more fully blended. After the lapse of years the exact words and the particular illustrations employed escape me in part, but the line of reasoning adopted will not vary materially from what is about to be given.

The humorist proposed to have all descriptions and epithets modeled on a sufficient scale of comparison—not the beggarly three to which we are now limited, but to a number large enough to indicate every variation of character in the object under consideration and every possible degree of human conception in regard to its nature. The lowest conceivable amount of any human quality consistent with its being at all would be indicated by 1. Its maximum would be represented by 100. Here, then, would be a wide range between the perfection of the idea expressed by the one number and its bare existence merely implied by the other, as well as the feelings of the speaker about it. In which all shades of thought and feeling would be fittingly represented. By prefixing to each epithet a figure between 1 and 100 the precise truth in regard to it as it appears to him uttering it would be conveyed to him hearing it. For example, you are asked about your health. Instead of replying pretty well, tolerably well, very well or some other ambiguous expression, you would say, bearing in mind that 100 indicates perfect health, I am 15, or 50, or 75, or 90 well, or any other number, as the case may be. By this means the inquirer learns definitely what he wants to know.

He has not been put off with formulas of speech whose general applicability to different conditions of bodily health conveys nothing precise to the mind. The moment this method of expression comes into general use we shall speedily become exact, mathematical, truth telling in the highest degree.

How well the rule would work can be best illustrated by the narrative of a simple incident of news communicated by a man to his friend in some such words as these:

"On a fine morning I was 55 slowly walking down the 23 clean avenue when I chanced to meet the 22 young and 85 charming Miss Smith, about whom you ask. We at once exchanged the 91 usual meteorological observation. 'It is a 76 beautiful day,' I remarked. 'Indeed, it is a 95 beautiful day,' she replied, and I am 97 glad to have met you, for it is a 90 long time since I have seen you. I felt 77 flattered by words like these coming from a 70 lovely girl, but proceeded to make the 71 usual inquiries about her health, for I knew that on that point you had been 80 anxious. She told me in reply that it had been 78 poor, but she was 100 glad to say that it was now 87 good.'—Professor J. E. Lounibos in Harper's Magazine.

A Large Salary.
Mr. X., a prominent lawyer of Philadelphia, was much addicted to the habit of lecturing in his office staff, and the office boy came in for an unusual share of admonition whenever occasion demanded and sometimes when it did not. That his words were appreciated was made quite evident to Mr. X. one day when a conversation overheard on the elevator between Tommy and another office boy on the same floor was repeated to him.

"Whatever wages?" asked the other boy.

"I get \$10,000 a year," said Tommy.

"Aw, gwan!" ejaculated the other boy derisively. "Quitcher kiddin'."

"Honest, I do," said Tommy. "\$4 a week in cash and the rest in legal advice."—Harper's Weekly.

Blenheim.
A very "famous victory" was that of Blenheim, which is our corruption of Blindheim, the village on the upper Danube where John Churchill won his dukedom, his magnificent palace in Oxfordshire and his yearly pension of £5,000. This is still enjoyed by his heir, the present Duke of Marlborough, who annually places a French fourmy in the guardroom of Windsor castle, the condition of his tenure of the estate of Blenheim. —London Answers.

The Comparative Method.
Theodore had twice been sent to wash his hands and was now returning for the second inspection.

"My child," said his mother, comparing the two hands critically, "your right is just as dirty as your left. What have you been doing all this time?"

"Why, mamma," explained the youth, "last time you said that my left hand was cleaner than my right, so I tried to make them even. I'll go again."—Youth's Companion.

Her Regret.
The Nobleman: You bought me—bought me as you would buy a hat. The Heiress:—Yes, and what I'm sore about now is that I neglected to wait for my change.—Cleveland Leader.

Chagrin.
Louie-Uncle, what's chagrin? Uncle—Well, it's what a stout man feels when he runs and jumps on a car that doesn't start for half an hour.—Chicago News.

Success is the child of audacity.
Dierrell.

Struggle to Throw Off an Influence.

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Elisha Hereford at twenty married a girl of eighteen. Elisha was rather a bright fellow, but without good judgment. His wife was exactly the opposite. She was not bright, but possessed an enormous amount of "horse sense." For twenty years she kept her husband on the track and when he showed signs of "freaking" would speak to him in no uncertain tone, pull strong on the curb and now and then give him a sharp cut with the whip. The consequence was that Hereford, being smart, by the time he was forty had secured a competency.

Now, the thing without which success is not to be attained is often unrecognizable, especially by the achiever. Hereford attributed it in his case to his talents, arguing that if he were not pulled back by his wife he would be a millionaire. His most intimate friends knew that his wife had put those talents to their proper use and prevented his wasting them. Perhaps if any of them had told him this it might have neutralized this story. Perhaps he would have received the information as false. The latter supposition is the more probable.

One day Hereford disappeared. It was found that he had taken \$50,000 and left \$100,000 for his wife, with no explanation whatever. This is the most practical thing he had ever done without her assistance. Almost any one would pronounce the money preferable to the explanation. But the act was just like Hereford. He was a mixture of the sublime and the ridiculous.

He hadn't been gone long before his wife received a letter from an American gentleman in Constantinople named Tarbox stating that Hereford had died there. He had left instructions with Tarbox to send what money he had left—some \$10,000—and his incinerated remains to his wife. Her friends said that so long as he had sent the money he hadn't troubled himself about the ashes. Mrs. Hereford deposited the former in bank and went over the latter. When it came to sentiment she had her weaknesses, the most pronounced of which was a sincere affection for Elisha Hereford. She was too sensible to keep her husband's dust in her own house, so she spent \$100 on a marble tomb, placed it in a cemetery and locked the dust in it. Not that the \$100 represented her love for her dead husband. The tomb was plenty large to contain the ashes, and Mrs. Hereford's sentiment never ran away with her instinct of economy.

Before proceeding any further with this story I wish to say that there is a feature in it that won't be believed. You can invent a lot of imaginary nonsense, and it will be gulped down, but give people a real coincidence such as happens every day and they will laugh at you. I am sure, however, that any one who knows Elisha Hereford on hearing what I refer to would say, "That's just like him for all the world."

As I have said, Mrs. Hereford was prone to indulge a sentimental sorrow so long as it was not expensive. She went once a week to the cemetery, took out the urn, dusted it, probably because she had been used to periodically dust the marble clock on her mantel at home, went over it and put it back. One day just after having done the dusting she turned the key and with bowed head was mutely offering a prayer for the repose of her husband's soul when she was aroused by a crash. It seemed she had heard some wooden structure knocked into kindling wood. Starting up, there in a lot not a hundred yards from her she saw a promiscuous mass of slender timbers jammed with some light woven texture. From beneath it a man struggled to free himself and after doing so stood upon his feet. The widow went toward the fragments, and when the man's head appeared above the wreckage she caught at an iron rail inclosing a burial lot.

She saw him whose ashes she had been weeping over.

"Well," he exclaimed petulantly, surveying the wreck, "it's all up, and I'm glad of it."

Mrs. Hereford, who saw a medium for wasted money, breathed hard.

"Elisha," she said sternly, "what foolishness have you been guilty of this time?"

"I own up, my dear. It was this way: I heard of all these fellows trying aeroplanes, and I had a plan that I would never consent to spending the money to build it, so I concluded to take the job into my own hands, first eliminating you from the experiment. Jim Twinkler was going abroad, and I charged him to take care of you from there under an assumed name, telling him what to say and what to send. This left me \$40,000 with which to—"

"Elisha!"

"My dear."

"Have you sunk \$40,000 in that—that heap?"

"I've sunk \$20,000."

"Where is the rest?"

"In bank."

"You come right home with me and draw me a check for it. I was a fool not to foresee something like this. Never again will you have a dollar under your own control. I've got the money you left, and when I get that you haven't thrown away we'll be safe."

Mrs. Hereford sold the tomb and the urn at a good profit. She secured a check for what money her husband had not sunk on the aeroplane, and from that time to the present she has held the purse strings to the family capital.

THERESA C. HOLT.

Clouds and the Weather.

When two weather prophets disagree does it argue error or incompetence in either? No, says the author of "Storms and Storm Signals" in Yachting. The data upon which they base their predictions do not always bear one interpretation. Thus:

Because the clouds indicate weather in a different manner according to the geographical location of the observer, and also because they are in themselves but byproducts of the weather and are not causes, weather predictions from clouds at sea should be taken with plenty of reservation of judgment. To say, for instance, that at a "red sky at night sailors delight" is very truthful and possibly truthful where knowledge is a forecast that is false, but a red sky at night may mean almost anything from a surplus of moisture in the air, meaning probably rain, to a volcanic eruption 2,000 miles away which has sent great clouds of dust into the air, causing the red color by reflection and refraction of the light rays.

The Eyes.
"Long, almond shaped eyes, with thick, creamy lids covering half the pupil and with a forehead that is full above the brows—there you have the eye of the man of genius." The speaker's own eyes answered that description strikingly, but he was far from being a man of genius, being, in fact, a magazine editor.

"Trotting eyes," he went on, "show mental and bodily weakness. Eyes close together denote cunning. Those far apart denote liberality. Thin lashes without any upward curve, to them and thin brows poorly marked are signs of melancholy and indecision. The eyes of a voluptuary move slowly under heavy lids. Those of a miser are small, deep sunken and blue, set in a bony and perpendicular forehead. The most beautiful eyes—large, brilliant and clear, gazing and flashing with a rapid motion—the most beautiful eyes denote elegance of taste, gaiety, no selfishness and a great interest in the opposite sex."—New York Press.

Like Father Like Son.
Four-year-old Clyde was a precocious youngster—very talkative and a close observer. He and his father were strolling through the meadows one morning when Clyde observed for the first time some talpoles in a pond. He waded in and cried out, "Oh, father, what are they?"

"Talpoles, son," the father replied.

"Please, father, let's take them all home with us, then come back and find the mamma and papa, and we'll have the whole family in our pond at home."

The father explained how impossible this would be, and as they walked on a few steps a large, ugly frog hopped across their path. Clyde's father said, "Look, son. Perhaps there is the papa."

Clyde was very thoughtful. He looked at the frog, then at his father, then at himself and exclaimed:

"Well, father, was there ever so much difference between me and you?" —Delineator.

Curious School Customs.
Mexican schoolmasters show their appreciation of a pupil's efforts in a curious manner. The diligent student is allowed to smoke a cigar during the lesson. When the whole class has given satisfaction, permission is given for a general smoke, and even the little Mexicans are allowed to light a cigarette for the occasion. Needless to say, the schoolmaster himself smokes a cigar of a size and quality proportionate to his superior position. But the scholars are not allowed to drink, this privilege being accorded to the master only. On his desk he always keeps a bottle of liquor, which, when empty, occasions much dispute among the parents of his scholars, as it is considered an honor to be able to fill the schoolmaster's bottle.—London Standard.

Cutting It Short.
A British lieutenant in the Second battalion, Lincolnshire regiment, who was called Leo Quintus Tollenmache-Tollenmache de Orellana Plantagenet Tollenmache-Tollenmache, gave notice by means of advertisement that he renounced the names of Quintus Tollenmache-Tollenmache Plantagenet Tollenmache and should henceforth upon all occasions and at all times sign and use and be called and known by the name of Leo de Orellana Tollenmache only.

Canada's Inland Sea.
People at home who have only seen Hudson Bay on the map have mainly regarded it as a patch of polar desolation, forbidding and unexplored. In reality it is nothing of the kind. It is a huge inland sea as large as the Mediterranean, reaching down into the center of the Canadian continent—Milling.

Dumb Money.
Little Elmer—Mamma, this nickel you gave me this morning must be counterfeit. Mamma—Why do you think so, dear? Little Elmer—Well, I hear papa say that money talks, and I've had this money a whole day and it hasn't said a word.—Chicago News.

Modern Art.
Art in our time seems like an iridescent oil spread about on the surface of the muddy waters of our civilization; it and life don't mix.—London Saturday Review.

A Patient Sufferer.
Boy (to tramp)—Don't you get awful tired of doing nothing, mister? Tramp—Terrible! But I never complain. Everybody has their troubles.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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H. H. GRANICE, Editor.

An Offender Against Society and His Family.

CITY MARSHAL WARD of Petaluma is a self-confessed defaulter to the extent of thirteen hundred dollars. The bondsmen of the erring official, it is said, will make good the shortage and he will no doubt escape the law's punishment for his misdeed. But be it so, Marshal Ward will be deprived of his office to satisfy the demands of society and the inevitable public disgrace will follow.

The pity of it all is the stain the offending Marshal has brought upon himself for so paltry a sum of money and the disgrace that a cruel, cold-hearted world will attach to a devoted wife and mother and five little innocent children. But why should these be compelled to pay their share of the penalty which society demands of the defaulting Marshal, whose wrong-doing was the act of a weak man of generous impulses, but who at heart was not dishonest. For does not the local papers of Petaluma, his home town, tell us that Marshal Ward has been a man of fine character and prominent in fraternal circles, whose whole life up to the very hour of his downfall was an exemplary one? It really seems too bad that the lives of such a man and his innocent family should be forever blasted on account of a few paltry dollars that could easily be earned by honest toil in a few years by an industrious mechanic or in a few months by a prosperous business man. But such is the toll exacted by society from the man who has fallen from grace. But why should his family be made to suffer? Verily, "Man's inhumanity to man has made countless millions mourn."

Now, here is an opportunity for the reformers—we confess we do not like the word as it covers up too much insincerity. Cast aside your selfish purposes. Take up cases like the above. Get to work and solve a problem whereby the wives and innocent children of offenders against society may escape the stigma which should alone attach to the real culprit. If the present-day reformers could accomplish something on these lines they will have proved their unselfishness and done much to prove their sincerity of purpose.

Journalistic Martyrdom.

EDITOR FRANK COOKE of the Healdsburg Tribune has sold out his newspaper to E. B. Ware, who has announced that he will change its policy and conduct it in the future. Br'er Cook, who had ably and successfully conducted his newspaper for twelve or fifteen years, took up the cause of Prohibition less than a year ago, and as that means journalistic suicide to most country editors, the well-meaning and conscientious but illy-advised scribe has been forced to retire for lack of patronage. This does not speak well for those who forced him to take up the cause of Prohibition. They should have stood by him through thick and thin after he had fought and lost their battle. The agitators did not do this, however, and left their friend and ally to combat alone and unaided the interests he had antagonized, with the result that he has been forced, from his newspaper field on account of lack of patronage.

Editor Cook was deserving of better treatment at the hands of the long-haired, spineless mollicoddles of Healdsburg, who knew he could expect no mercy from those whom he sought to ruin financially by an attempt to legislate out of business the wine, hop and and other interests of his section in espousing a prohibition "reform" movement that was as suicidal as it was ill-advised. But his experience has been that of more than one country editor in California that we know of and ought to serve as a warning to others unless they wish to pose as journalistic martyrs.

Wise Talks by the Office Boy.



Say, fellows, do you know that we must get a move on and make new resolutions, as the old year is about dead, and a new year will soon be with us. The most of us have broken many of the good resolutions we made last year, but do not be discouraged. Renew your pledges—tighten up your belt and take a firmer grip on your determination. Make good resolutions, and stay by them. First let us get happy by making some one else happy. You know there is more joy in giving than in receiving. We have a large and varied assortment of toys, fancy boxes,

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What will appear very interesting to many people here is the article taken from a new York daily paper, giving a simple prescription, which is said to be a positive remedy for backache or kidney or bladder derangement, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease:

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A well-known druggist here at home, when asked regarding this prescription, stated that the ingredients are all harmless, and can be obtained at a small cost from any good prescription pharmacy, or the mixture would be put up if asked to do so. He further stated that while this prescription is often prescribed in rheumatic afflictions with splendid results, he could see no reason why it would not be a splendid remedy for kidney and urinary troubles and backache, as it has a peculiar action upon the kidney structure, cleansing these most important organs and helping them to sift and filter from the blood the foul acids and waste matter which cause sickness and suffering. Those of our readers who suffer can make no mistake in giving it a trial.

THE FIGHT FOR FAME.

Man's Heroic Effort to Clutch the Priceless Jewel.

His way was in a bloody lane where clanking cannons spat out also, his goal the line where blazing guns laughed out their song of death. On, on, on he went. His ears were filled with sounds of quick commands, bugle blasts, discordant drums. No fluttering fear was in his heart, no thought of home, no specter of the dread despair that waited at the hearth if he never came again. To him there was no terror in the sabers' flashing blades, no warning in the bullets' deadly hiss. Youth trod all reason underfoot; ambition saw all glory overhead. On, on he went to woo and win his bride, the priceless jewel—fame!

Another in a garret sighed for fame. Crusts were his portion and his raiment only rags. Hermit-like he toiled alone, nor cold nor hunger ever daunted him. He marshaled all his hosts, and visions came and went. On, on he toiled. In the snowflakes that drifted in and touched his hands he read a message from the world without, all white, all cheerless. Still as a chrysalis his fancy wove and spun and made its garments wondrous, then burst in splendor on a waiting world.

Both fought the fight, each in his way, one for a heroic shape of bronze. One for a speechless marble face, each for the epitaph, that all the ages in the dust of time might know "he did and died."—Wade Mountfort in Era Magazine.

Habitual Constipation

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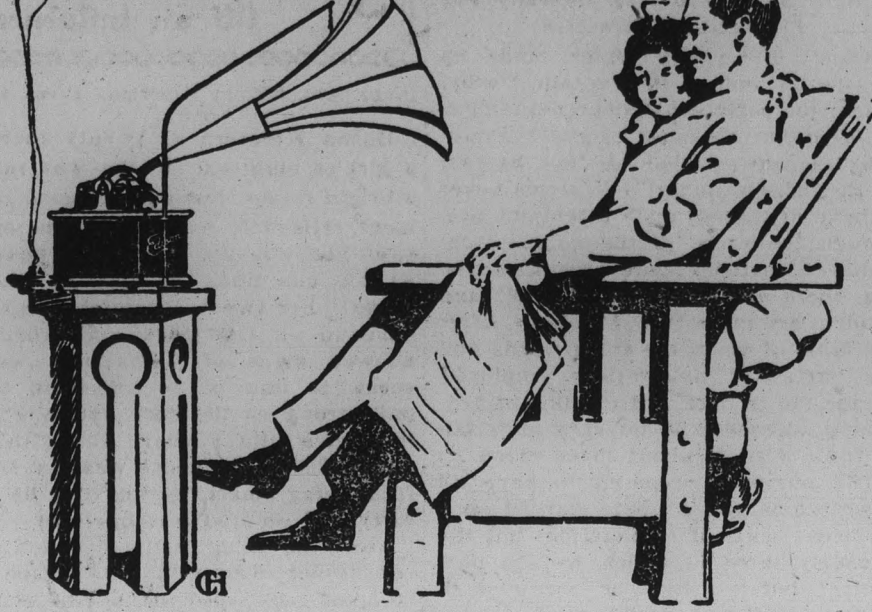
In the Superior Court in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California. In the matter of the Estate of LUWIG MATTHIAS JOHANNSEN, deceased. No. 4587.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on Monday, the 21st day of December, A. D. 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M., of said day, and the Court Room of said Superior Court, in Department Two thereof, in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California, is hereby fixed and appointed as the time and place for proving the Will of said Ludwig Matthias JOHANNSEN, deceased, and for the hearing by the Court of the application of Hans E. JOHANNSEN for the issuance to him of Letters Testamentary thereon.

Dated December 2nd, A. D. 1908. F. L. WRIGHT, Clerk. Seal. By BEN F. BALLARD, Deputy Clerk. ROBERT A. POPPE, Esq., Attorney for Petitioner.

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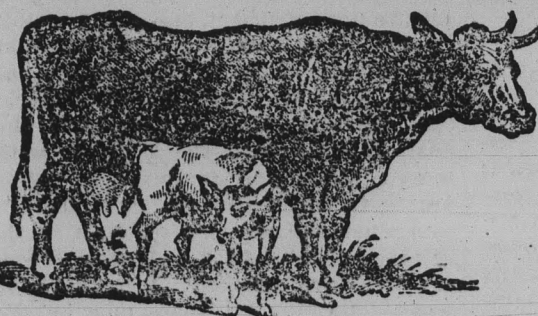
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Eph. Weiss, the expert refractionist, will be in Sonoma, at the Union Hotel, February 2d.

If you have subscribed and do not see your name in the above column drop us a line.

Now is the time to lay concrete sidewalks. See Trudgen, the stone mason, about it.

The teacher's examination was concluded by the County Board of Education on Thursday evening.

R. W. Bell, Piano Tuner, will be here in a day or two. Address orders to Sonoma postoffice.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Monahan of Glen Ellen were presented with a baby girl Wednesday morning.

Lost—A letter addressed to Mrs. H. G. Michael. Finder please return to L. S. Simmons and receive reward.

Christmas shopping is now at an end and our people can now turn their thoughts into other and less perplexing channels.

The first annual account of the estate of Luigi Maggiora has been filed in the Superior Court by Robert A. Poppe, the attorney for the estate.

The case of Luigi Lia, charged with assault to commit murder, has been reset for January 19th. H. P. Mathewson of this place is attorney for the accused.

The Petaluma Grammar School boys defeated the Sonoma Grammar School team in the game of basketball played on Friday night of last week by a score of 18 to 12.

Sunday morning was the coldest ever experienced in this valley. In many parts of town water in tubs froze to the thickness of over two inches. The cold snap of the past week was broken Tuesday by a slight fall of rain.

The Board of Supervisors adjourned Tuesday and will not meet again until Monday, January 4th, 1909. The Board will then reorganize with all the old members in their seats with the single exception of Supervisor Button of the Second district, who will be succeeded by Wm. King of Casadero.

The stone bridge being built by the city to span Nathanson's creek on Napa street is being pushed forward to speedy completion by Wm. Trudgen, the stone mason and contractor. This stone bridge, which will cost a little over a thousand dollars, will endure as long as the hills without expense to keep it in repair. This improvement and many more to follow is made possible by the license tax recently imposed upon our people by the Board of City Trustees, and which every business man should willingly pay, as it is a fair and equitable way of raising revenue for needed public improvements.

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SONOMA COUNTY GRAND JURY.

Some Sensations Will be Sprung When it Makes Its Report.

The Sonoma County Grand Jury, which has been holding periodical sessions the past month, promises some sensations when it will have adjourned sine die and made its report.

The body was again in session the fore part of the week and after discussing a number of important matters and visiting the county farm and inspecting the grounds and building adjourned until next Monday.

Although the deliberations of its members are held with closed doors without convenient keyholes for prying reporters it is known that many matters of importance are engaging the attention of the inquisitorial body.

The case of Rowland, the embezzling bank cashier of Healdsburg, is now under consideration and although he has been promised "immunity" by the officials of the lusted bank, he will no doubt be indicted and made to face the stern reality of the law.

Another case that will be taken up is that of Ward, the defaulting City Marshal of Petaluma, whose crime was not so deliberate or aggravating as that of the Healdsburg offender, but nevertheless as justice is blind, the ex-Marshall, who like the defaulting bank cashier, has confessed his misdeed, may also be indicted.

It is hinted that a number of anonymous letters have been received by the grand jurors regarding the new county court house.

As the writers feared to make charges and back them up with their signatures these "fishing" expeditions have so far proved fruitless.

When the grand jurors meet Monday the Rowland case will be one of the matters that will engage their attention.

Will Keep Open House New Year's Afternoon.

The Sonoma Valley Woman's Club will keep open house in their rooms in the Schocken building on New Year's afternoon between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock, and will be happy to receive calls from all their friends.

Death of an Infant.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Johnson died Wednesday morning at 4 o'clock after a brief illness. The babe was six weeks old. The little one was laid to rest in Mountain cemetery on Christmas afternoon.

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CHAS. STORNETTI.
Sonoma, October 31, 1908.

Shot Down on Streets of San Francisco.

Deputy Sheriff J. P. Fennell, chief jailer at Ingleside, was shot and probably fatally wounded on Kearney and Masons streets, San Francisco, at an early hour Sunday morning. His assailant was Patrick McGee, a discharged fireman, and the shot that laid Fennell low was fired while he was in the act of going to the assistance of a friend whom McGee had attacked. The bullet struck Fennell on the forehead above the left eye, fracturing the skull.

Fennell, who is a brother of Mrs. Taylor, owner of the old Perkins place near the El Verano bridge, is well-known here, where he has frequently visited the past few years.

COUNTY NEWS ITEMS.

Excerpts from Our Local Exchanges of Happenings the Past Week.

E. A. Husler has been appointed City Marshal of Petaluma in place of E. C. Ward the defaulting official.

Col. D. B. Fairbanks of Petaluma is dead at the age of 56 years. He was one of the most prominent men in this section of the State.

Bank Commissioner Watson will on Monday next appear before the grand jury and tell what he knows of the affairs of the defunct Bank of Healdsburg.

A distinct shock of earthquake was felt in Petaluma last Tuesday afternoon at 1:50. The shock was short but sharp and rattled the windows of houses and nerves of timid people.

The Board of Supervisors in session on Monday voted in favor of the marble finish on the interior of the new Sonoma county court house. Supervisor Blair Hart was the only member of the board who voted against the resolution. Plans and estimates for the finish were furnished by Architect J. W. Doliver and the change to the marble finish is to cost the county \$50,000.

The civil suit of Harry L. Johnson, receiver of the Bank of Calistoga, vs. E. I. Camm of Petaluma, has been transferred from Napa to this county for trial. The suit was brought to recover the sum of \$1,500, alleged to be due on a promissory note dated November 12, 1906. The bank has been forced into liquidation, and the suit was brought to enable it to wind up its business affairs.

John Schroeder, a well known resident of the Petaluma section, met with a serious accident on Saturday, when he was returning home near Denman's. He stepped his horse and got out of the wagon to fix something about the rig and was just climbing into the seat when the horse suddenly started and caught the man's foot in the wheel. The leg was broken twice near the ankle, and after being dragged for some distance, Mr. Schroeder fell to the side of the road and the animal continued on home. It was found standing at the barn next morning by Mr. Paula, one of Mr. Schroeder's neighbors. The injured man had lain in the road all night, and in his efforts to secure help had crawled fully half a mile to the Paula gate, where he was found Sunday morning, in a weak and half frozen condition. The injured man was hastened to the Petaluma Hospital, where it was found that amputation was necessary and the foot was removed.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.

Doings of the Various Sets Throughout the Town and Valley.

There will be a ball in Union Hall New Year's eve.

Fred'k T. Duhring had business at the county seat Monday.

Mrs. L. H. Green visited in Santa Rosa Wednesday.

Miss Bertie Aguillon is ill at the Freesech Hospital, San Francisco.

M. J. Cummings spent Sunday with relatives and friends in Santa Rosa.

Judge Jos. B. Small was called to Santa Rosa last Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Keogh of San Francisco were guests at the Granice home Sunday.

Miss Enid Harris, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Day, spent Christmas in Oakland.

The Woman's Club of Glen Ellen will give a grand ball in Merwyn Hall on New Year's eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murphy of Alameda spent Christmas at the Mrs. M. Murphy home on Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Prestwood and family have been spending the holidays in the northern part of the county.

A marriage license was issued Monday to Nathan E. Otterbank and Lulu Owne Saunders; both of Glen Ellen.

L. Modini, our pioneer hotel man, who has been under the care of Dr. Leix the past few days for a severe cold, is improving.

Attorney Robt. A. Poppe transacted legal business in connection with the L. M. Johannsen estate in Santa Rosa last Monday.

Ex-United States Senator Thos. Kearns of Utah has joined his family at his Los Guillicos ranch, where he will spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack London at latest advices had reached Australia on their seven-years cruise around the world in their little boat, "The Snark."

The Sunday school children of the Congregational and Methodist churches had a joint Christmas tree in the lecture room of the latter Wednesday evening.

Miss Norvella Davidson, teacher of the Dunbar district school near Glen Ellen, gave her scholars a Christmas tree in the school house on Friday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Amelia Bates and family and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bates and children spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nauman in San Francisco.

Ed. Gillan Sr., is lying seriously ill at his home in this place. He is the oldest pioneer resident of the Sonoma Valley, and as far back as fifty years ago was constable of Sonoma township.

Miss Martha Gordenker, who is a student at the Alameda High School, is home for the holiday vacation, which will be spent with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordenker of Glen Ellen.

The marriage of Miss Marjorie Dorman and Mr. Joseph L. Graves took place Sunday at the home of the bride's mother on Broadway. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Father Leahy, pastor of St. Francis church in the presence of relatives and a few close friends of the young couple. There was a wedding breakfast at the Union Hotel, after which Mr. and Mrs. Graves took their departure on a south-bound train for a brief honeymoon trip. The newly-wedded couple will make their future home on the groom's ranch near Suisun.

Mrs. Robt. P. Hill of Eldridge, ex-President of the State Federation of Woman's Clubs, was a prominent guest at the formal opening of the new quarters of the Saturday Afternoon Club of Santa Rosa, on Thursday of last week. Mrs. Hill was called upon to address the members and invited guests, and after expressing greetings from the club women of the State in general and those of the Sonoma Valley Club in particular, said among other things: "May the club home ever be a meeting place for those of purpose great, broad and strong, whose aim is toward the stars, who ever want to make the patient, listening world resound with sweeter music, with pure and nobler tones—a place where kindly, helpful words are said and kindlier deeds are done; where victors in the race for fame and power look back ever in their triumph hour to beckon others towards the shining goal."

County Liquor Licenses Granted.

At Tuesday's session of the Board of Supervisors 134 county liquor licenses were granted in the five Supervisorial districts. Only one was turned down, the solitary exception being in the second district.

In Supervisor Button's district 47 applications were granted.

Supervisor Hart's district comes next with 46 licenses.

In Supervisor Patterson's district ten licenses were issued outside incorporated towns.

In Supervisor Austin's district 18 of the licenses were granted.

The revenue collected from the 134 saloons amounts to \$13,400 per year.

SUPERIOR COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Judge Seawell Presided in In Both Departments Monday.

Both departments of the Superior Court were presided over by Judge Emmet Seawell Monday, who disposed of the following matters:

Petition granting homestead in William L. Lloyd estate was made. Suit of Henry Fox et al. vs. L. J. Hall, will be submitted on briefs, 20, 10 and 10 days.

Action of Dan Behmer vs. City of Santa Rosa was set for trial February 24.

Error was confessed and ten days given to answer in the suit of Clara vs. John White.

Default was entered in suit of Frank E. Cherry vs. Henry Holst et al. and case set for March 23.

Petitions for naturalization of Ottie Nielsen and Christian Scott were dismissed without prejudice.

The following matters were continued to December 28: Estate of Andrew Sukkau and Lydia C. Wicksham, suits of Ida Anna vs. Albert Henry Gotsch, Petaluma Rock Co. vs. N. B. Ingerson, and against Charles J. Feliz, C. Bartholomew vs. Souza.

The suits of Mary E. Sullivan vs. S. J. Canavacini, and Ella Niroad vs. C. H. Neistrath et al., were continued to January 4th.

The action of Bosco vs. Nurissi was dismissed in open court.

In the action of Jed Brockway vs. The Olmstead Co., an opinion was handed down overruling the demurrer.

Two following probate matters were disposed of: Wills of W. W. Howard, Ludwig M. Johannsen, Christian A. Michaelson and Johann H. Michaelson were admitted. In the first estate named Isabel H. Howard was named administratrix in bond of \$3000; in the second Hans E. Johannsen was named without bond, and in the last two Salome Elsie Michaelson was named without bond.

Letters of administration were issued to E. S. Hicks in estate of Sally Hicks, bond of \$980; to E. J. Holman, in estate of Ann Strieming bond of \$300; to John O'Brien, de bonis non in estate of John Lennox, bond of \$1000; to J. W. Barbour in estate of William E. Bridge, bond of \$800.

Final account was settled and distribution ordered in the estate of Theodore J. Dehay.

The final account of F. C. Bridge in estate of Wm. E. Bridge was continued to December 28, and a citation issued for the administrator.

Matters in the estate of Martha A. Rea were continued to December 28.

The case of Kate Downey vs. Andrew Downey was submitted. The action of R. C. Moody vs. Connecticut Fire Insurance Co. was continued to December 23. Default was entered in the suit of Emma Bolinger vs. Frank Bolinger.

The following cases were continued to December 28th: Elsie Ketchum vs. Preston Ketchum, Bacon vs. William Ross, O. Fountain vs. Connecticut Fire Insurance Co., W. L. Whitaker vs. J. H. Ansell, and in re life estate Bridget C. Malone, deceased.

Annual Meeting of the Northwestern Pacific.

The annual election of the Northwestern Pacific will take place in San Francisco on January 6, but the only change will be in the apportionment of the directors. The Santa Fe will drop one, and the Southern Pacific will add one. The new director will be Secretary King. Vice President Calvin has denied that there was any truth in the report that the road might be run as division of the Southern Pacific.

Viticultural Club.

A viticultural club was organized in Santa Rosa by a number of grape-growers from various parts of the county who met last Saturday. The following were elected officers of the club: President, L. W. Juilliard; vice president, R. W. Peterson; Secretary, Andrew M. Frei; directors, Jos. M. Talbot of Bennett Valley; Douglas Badger, Rincon Valley; W. H. Lumsden, Santa Rosa; Victor Piezzi, Liano; James P. Kelley, Sebastopol; Leopold Justi, Glen Ellen; A. M. Frei, Santa Rosa.

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Notice to Creditors

Estate of LUDWIG MATTHIAS JOHANNSEN, deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Hans E. Johannsen, executor of the will and estate of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor at the law office of Robert A. Poppe, on the East side of the Plaza, in Sonoma City, in the County of Sonoma, State of California, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the said County of Sonoma, State of California.

HANS E. JOHANNSEN, Executor of the will and estate of Ludwig Matthias Johannsen, deceased. Dated at Sonoma, Cal., December 26th, 1908. ROBERT A. POPPE, Attorney for Estate. First publication, December 26th, 1908.

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We are indebted to Prof. W. H. Volk, etymologist for Santa Cruz and Monterey counties for the following formula. This has been thoroughly tried out in the Watsonville district and has been used so successfully that the growers of that district have organized a company and built a large plant for its manufacture. The growers haul the solution to their orchards when needed, thus saving the freight and cost of expensive coöperation. This formula is designed to make 200 gallons of spray:

Sulphur..... 68 pounds
Lime..... 33 pounds
Water..... 25 gallons

Heat the water to nearly boiling, add the lime slowly to avoid too violent slacking. When the lime is slacked, add the sulphur, (the milk of lime should now be vigorously boiling) stirring thoroughly. Better results will be obtained in mixing if the sulphur is sifted through a sieve to break the lumps. Now boil with occasional stirring so no cake is formed on the bottom. The time of actual boiling should be about 30 minutes and not longer than 45 minutes. The solution so formed should be a thin, dark liquid with only a small amount of residue. As much as possible should be drawn off from the residue and water added to make 200 gallons. The residue, consisting mostly of sulphur, should not be large, and is left in the vat, the materials for the next batch being added without allowance.

In making this stock solution enough water should be added to make 25 gallons, as considerable will be evaporated in the cooking. This stock solution can be used in conjunction with iron sulphate for the control of the powdery mildew, and a weaker strength is giving good results on the black scale.

The best results from this solution are obtained at Watsonville on San Jose scale control by spraying as soon as the leaves are well off in the fall, and before the leaves start in the spring.

No benefit has been proved from the addition of salt, so its use has been discarded. The best grades of lime are recommended, but our cheap grades of Nevada and California sulphur are 95 per cent pure and are just as good as the sublime or the ground articles.

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H. M. GRANT, Editor.

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When a two masted schooner, laden to the gunwales with its cargo of fish, comes into the wharfs the fish are carried in great tubs. Over these stand a company of experts, men who have cleaned hundreds of thousands of fish and who can make the quick cuts and do the scraping with incredible speed. Running to each tub is a hose, and after the waste has been removed an instant under the high pressure of water from the hose cleans out the fish completely and makes it sweet and ready for the next step in the operation. Codfish is dried and salted before being sent to the market, and the work is also done on the wharfs. Here are ranged hundreds of tables exposed to the bright sunlight. The cleaned fish are piled up in such a manner that the warm rays get a most admirable chance at them.

INSOMNIA.

Curious Way in Which It Affected a Woman's Imagination.

"I can't stand this any longer, doctor," said the nervous woman. "If the patient in the next room to mine, No. 22, doesn't keep quiet at night I must change my room or leave the sanitarium altogether."

"What's the trouble?" asked her physician.

"She has one of these squeaky old wooden bedsteads, and every time she turns over it awakens me. Last night she did nothing but toss and fro, and I didn't get a single wink of sleep."

"I'll see to that at once," he assured her. "A woman in your condition certainly must have absolute quiet at night. I'll have the patient in No. 22 sleep on the roof. The fresh air will be better for her anyway."

The next morning the nervous woman appeared in the consultation room of the sanitarium in radiant mood.

"How did you sleep?" asked the doctor.

"Perfectly," she replied. "I'm so much obliged to you. It made a great difference."

"I knew it would," he said gravely.

He was telling the truth, because he knew the power of the imagination in disease, especially of the nerves. As a matter of fact, No. 22 had not been occupied at night for three weeks. The patient had been sleeping on the roof all the time.—Exchange.

Got Quite Pleasant.

he mistress of a hospitable home in New York recently had to employ a new second girl whose work she liked, but whose blunt and forbidding manner she liked not at all. She talked to the girl and urged her to be pleasant and agreeable whenever she had to say anything to other people, particularly visitors.

A great surprise for the mistress followed this admonition. The next day the girl happened to the door and she opened it just as her mistress was passing through the hall. To the astonishment and bewilderment of the latter the girl reached out and, catching the caller by the hand, actually dragged her inside the door, expressing her pleasure at seeing her, and then hastened to announce the call to her mistress.—New York Sun.

Canaries of Paris.

The vendors of chickweed in Paris is a well known figure. The sellers are numerous, and their cry is one of the most noteworthy of those that resound in the morning in the streets of the French capital. According to the Bulletin des Hautes, there are about a hundred thousand canaries in the capital, and the daily consumption of chickweed is estimated at \$2,000. This sum looks large, but it allows only 2 cents for each bird. A Paris contemporary points out that a goodly portion of land between Suresnes and Courbevoie is set aside for the cultivation of the weed.

The Excitement.

"How fast do you usually travel?" "I don't pay much attention to that," answered the motorist. "I get most excited in watching the motor cars with which pedestrians move away."—Washington Star.

Feminine Nerves.

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and stay who sticks to every yet happy else happy more joy in ing. We have ascertained far than art—

Ringling the Breakfast Bell.

An American family who had experienced the difficulty of obtaining and retaining the services of a reliable kitchen girl while on a visit to Ireland became acquainted with a promising young girl and brought her back home with them.

In a few weeks she was installed in her new home and made acquainted with her new duties. Among other things she was told that it was customary when breakfast was ready to be served to ring the breakfast bell. Her "all right, mum," came in such a confident tone that her mistress gave the matter no further thought.

The following morning at 6 o'clock the family were rudely awakened by the violent ringing of the front door-bell. Thinking that a messenger must be waiting with some unusual message, the gentleman of the house did not stop to dress, but hurried down in his night robe and opened the door. The new kitchen girl awaited him, her face beaming with a beautiful smile of triumph. Bowing low, she said in her rich Irish brogue, "Breakfast is ready, sor."—Los Angeles Times.

Diamond Cutting.

It is said that before the fourteenth century no one knew how to cut and polish diamonds. They were esteemed for their marvelous hardness, but not greatly admired for beauty. There is a tradition that a journeyman jeweler in Flanders, Louis Van Berghem, discovered the art of cutting diamond with diamond. But it is probable that he only made some notable advance in the art since associations of diamond cutters had existed in France and Flanders from the fourteenth century. Louis Van Berghem's most famous achievement was the cutting and polishing of a huge diamond belonging to Charles the Bold. Charles was so delighted with the result that he rewarded the artist liberally and declared that the diamond would now serve him for a bedroom lamp. This jewel, which was found on Charles' body after the battle of Nancy, is still in existence and celebrated under the name of the Nancy diamond.—Youth's Companion.

He Gave Them Latin.

Once, before he was president, Andrew Jackson was making a political speech in some obscure campaign in a backwoods Tennessee district. His address was very well received, but somehow there did not seem to be exactly the enthusiasm wanted for the occasion. Having vainly tried to "warm up" his hearers, the general was just going to sit down when the chairman of the meeting plucked him by the coat-tail. "For the Lord's sake, general, give 'em some Latin!" he hurriedly whispered in the speaker's ear. "They won't think you know anything at all if you quit like this. Smith, the opposition candidate, talked Latin to 'em half the evening."

Advancing to the edge of the platform, he extended his arm and thundered out: "E pluribus unum! Sic semper tyrannis! Hebes corpus!" The audience roared with applause. The credit of the orator was saved, and the Jackson ticket won out in that county.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

A Spoiled Scene.

E. H. Sothern once found his wit fail him in time of need. It was in the fourth act of "The Lady of Lyons." Sothern played Claude Melnotte, and Virginia Hamond was cast as Pauline. Beaumont, the villain, was pursuing Pauline, and she cried loudly for help. Claude was supposed to dash to her rescue and catch the fainting Pauline in his arms. Sothern dashed on to the stage, but slipped and slid, sitting down near the footlights. Losing his presence of mind, he declaimed the line: "Look up, Pauline. There is no danger." As Virginia Hamond was standing, this was, of course, an impossibility. By this time the audience was in an uproar, and when Arthur Lawrence, who played Beaumont, scornfully said, "You are beneath me," the amusement of the audience knew no bounds.

The Stick For Wives.

In the old Anglo-Norman marriage ceremony the gentleman used to promise her husband to be burzum "unto my gentill manne." The word burzum corresponds to the modern German blegsam, meaning bending or pliant, and the old English was "buskam," all of which goes to show that things must have been very pleasantly ordered in the good old days that are dead and gone. According to the English law, which is still unrescinded in the statute book, the "gentill manne" was allowed to beat his goodie wife with a stick the diameter of which did not exceed a quarter of an inch.—New York World.

What She Wanted to See.

The chauffeur was taking his load of tourists for a ride through the red-light portion of the metropolis and pointing out to them the state mansions of the nabob. "I've often heard," said the portly dowerer with the diamonds, "of these Oliver Wendell homes. Would you mind showing us one of 'em?"—San Francisco Argonaut.

Sensitive.

"I hear you is out of a job, Willie?" "Yes, I may be a little too sensitive, but when the boss sez 'Git to blazes out of here before I kick you out!' then I got mad and resigned me position."—Illustrated Bits.

He Knew.

Teacher—Now, Johnny, what was Washington's farewell address? Johnny—Heaven.—New York Sun.

Consideration and wealth are not always synonymous. Messenger

Public Penance.

In former times persons guilty of grievous and notorious offenses were required to make open confession and, further, to make satisfaction for the scandal given by their bad example by doing penance publicly in a white sheet in their parish church. The sheet was used to show clearly to every one which was the offender. The last time that public penance was done in an English church was on Sunday evening, July 30, 1832, when a man named Hartree, in the church of All Saints, East Cleveland, made an open confession of immorality and promised to perform the penance thus imposed on him by the vicar. No white sheet was used on this occasion. The last case in which one was used appears to have been one in St. Bridget's church, Chester, in 1851, but on that occasion the penance was not public, the church door being locked. In the previous year, however, public penance in a white sheet was done in a country church in Essex, and a similar thing occurred in Ditton church, near Cambridge, in 1849.—Stray Stories.

An Unexpected Check.

A man who won a reputation for cool daring and almost eccentric fearlessness along a thousand miles of the southwestern border was A. L. Parrott, at one time a desperado in McNelly's company of Texas rangers. One night in 1875, about six months after Parrott left the state service, he was sitting in a house in a little town in southwest Texas playing chess with a friend. It was a warm night, and the chessboard was on a table close to an open window. Parrott had the white men. His queen was in a direct line with the black king, but a black knight was between the two pieces. It was Parrott's move. Suddenly there was a sharp report outside, and a bullet whistled in through the window, hit the black knight and buried itself in the wall. Parrott had been bending over the board, and the bullet was evidently intended for his head. But for a few seconds he did not stir. He saw the black knight suddenly vanish. Then in his peculiar drawing, hesitating way he said, "Check!"

The Stone of Infamy.

In many Italian cities there formerly existed what was called "pietra d'infamia," or a stone of infamy for the punishment of bankrupts. In Venice one stands near the Church of St. Mark, and in Verona and Florence they are near the old markets. On a day in carnival week the old time custom was to have all traders who had become bankrupt in the preceding twelve months led to the stone, and one by one each stood on its center to hear the reading of a report of his business failure and to endure the reproaches heaped on him by his creditors. At the end of a certain time each bankrupt was partly undressed, and three officers took hold of his shoulders and three others of his knees and, raising him as high as they could, bumped him on the stone deliberately twelve times, "in honor of the twelve apostles," the creditors crowding like cocks while the bumping proceeded.

Wigs and Trousers.

The wig went out and gave place to the natural hair, powdered and pig-tailed, as a result of the movement back to nature which accompanied and preceded the French revolution. But why did the wig come in? Some say that Louis XIII, started the fashion when he began to grow bald, the court imitating him out of a desire to please the monarch. Be that as it may, the wig "caught on" as few articles of costume have ever done, and those who have begun to despair of the masculine leg ever being emancipated from the trouser may find comfort in the fact that wigs prevailed for considerably more than a century in England, whereas trousers scarcely existed a hundred years ago, to say nothing of being the universal wear.—London News.

Mother Earth.

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